PATENT APPLICATION



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

re the Application of:

NISHIHARA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2817

Application No.: 10/717,487

Examiner: Barbara SUMMONS

Filed: November 21, 2003

Attorney Dkt. No.: 025720-00017

For: FILTER ELEMENT, AND FILTER DEVICE, DUPLEXER AND HIGH-FREQUENCY

CIRCUIT EACH INCLUDING SAID FILTER ELEMENT

AMENDMENT AND FEE TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: June 8, 2005

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified patent application.

The claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

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(Col. 2)

(Col. 3)

SMALL ENTITY

OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	
TOTAL	20	MINUS	20	0	
INDEP.	12	MINUS	10	2	
= FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					

RATE-	- ADDIT. FEE
x 25 =	
x 100 =	
+180=	
TOTAL	

RATE	ADDIT. FEE
x 50=	0
x 200=	400
+360=	
	400

or

or

A check in the amount of \$400.00 to cover the additional claims fee is attached. In the event that the attached check is found to be insufficient, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment for any additional fees required for the presentation of extra claims or credit any over-payment to Deposit Account No. 01-2300, referencing Atty. Docket No. 025720-00017.

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 8, 2005, please amend the above-titled application as follows:

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 8.

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